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(Case No. 02-285-A)

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Paver et al.)
Serial No. 10/771,088)
Filed: February 3, 2004)
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Before the Examiner:)
Group Art Unit: 1762)
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed June 4, 2004, Applicants submit the following correction to the "Amendments to the Claims" section of the preliminary amendment.

Applicants present a corrected complete listing of the claims, including cancelled and pending claims, beginning at page 2.

The Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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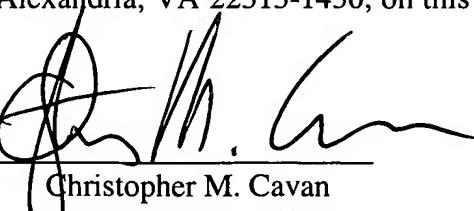
In regard to the above-identified patent application:

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 - a. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment
 - b. Postcard
2. With respect to additional fees:

A. No additional fee is required.

B. Attached is a check in the amount of _____
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4. CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8 (FIRST CLASS MAIL): The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the document(s) as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 30th day of June 2004.

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